

**REMARKS/ARGUMENTS**

Applicant thanks the Examiner for the allowance of Claims 1 through 11.

In the present Amendment, Applicant amends the Specification to include the required paragraph incorporating by reference an Appendix submitted on compact disc and to delete the previously-existing textual version of Appendix A. Two identical compact discs containing an ASCII text version of the program listing comprising Appendix A of the specification are filed contemporaneously in the United States Patent and Trademark Office with a separate transmittal letter.

Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner accept the present application as in condition for issuance.

The Examiner is requested to contact the undersigned should any additional question(s) or issue exist with respect to the furtherance of this application to issuance.

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